

Docket No.: 42390P12122

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

JARRET L. RINALDI, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/965,234

Filed: September 25, 2001

For: MULTI-STACK SURFACE MOUNT LIGHT

EMITTING DIODES

Art Group: 2827

Examiner: James M. Mitchell

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully Petition the Commissioner for a two (2) month extension of time, extending the period for response to April 04, 2004, from the filing of the Notice of Appeal dated December 04, 2003. The petition filing fee of \$420.00 and an Appeal Brief in triplicate are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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